

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena

October 1999

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons		Estimated Damage		Character of Storm
					Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	
ALABAMA, Southwest									
Mobile County									
5 W Mobile	09	0320CST 0325CST	0.7	200	0	0	40K		Tornado (F0)
An F0 tornado touched down just west of I-65 and Airport Boulevard. The tornado first touched down at the Lafayette Apartments near Downtowner Boulevard and damaged several apartment roofs. A brick wall was also blown down at the apartments. The tornado moved north and blew some trees and awnings down. The tornado crossed Airport and caused roof damage to some apartments at Maison De Ville. The tornado continued moving north and blew some trees down north of Conway before lifting back into the clouds. The tornado spent most of its time at tree or roof level. No injuries were reported.									
Mobile County									
Saraland	09	0415CST 0425CST	2.5	300	0	0	100K		Tornado (F1)
Around 415 AM CST...a tornado (F1) touched down in Saraland, near the Walmart Superstore. The roof of the store was damaged. The tornado then skipped across Industrial Parkway and touched down again on Sheldon Beach Road near Goldenrod. From here the worst damage occurred with several businesses and one home damaged. Power lines were also blown down. The tornado moved north and crossed I-65 and a nearby service road where some trees were also blown down. The tornado then moved across a wooded area and touched down again near Alvarez and Wilson Roads. From here several homes suffered roof damage along with more trees down. The tornado continued to skip along the ground and touched down near Forest and Robert Williams Roads; more trees were damaged in this area. Before lifting back into the cloud, the storm did tree and power line damage along Martha Alleyn Road. No injuries were reported.									
Mobile County									
Big Creek Lake	09	0445CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
High winds blew several trees down near Big Creek Lake.									